SET 4: BIOLOGICAL CLASSIFICATION

- 1. The earliest attempt to classify living organisms scientifically was made by
 - a) Linnaeus
 - b) Haeckel
 - c) Aristotle
 - d) Whittaker
- 2. Aristotle classified animals on the basis of
 - a) Mode of reproduction
 - b) Presence or absence of red blood
 - c) Type of locomotion
 - d) Type of food
- 3. Linnaeus divided all living organisms into
 - a) Two kingdoms
 - b) Three kingdoms
 - c) Four kingdoms
 - d) Five kingdoms
- The two-kingdom system failed because
 - a) It included viruses
 - b) It did not distinguish between prokaryotes and eukaryotes
 - c) It did not include animals
 - d) It was based on habitat
- 5. Whittaker's five kingdoms were based on
 - a) Habitat
 - b) Evolutionary relationships
 - c) Cell structure and nutrition
 - d) Both (b) and (c)
- 6. The term "phylogenetic relationship" refers to
 - a) Structural similarities
 - b) Evolutionary relationships
 - c) Physiological similarities
 - d) Reproductive features
- 7. Which of the following kingdoms includes both autotrophs and heterotrophs?
 - a) Monera and Protista
 - b) Plantae and Animalia
 - c) Fungi and Plantae
 - d) Animalia and Protista

- 8. Bacteria show the greatest diversity in
 - a) Morphology
 - b) Metabolism
 - c) Reproduction
 - d) Habitat
- 9. Which of the following is not a shape of bacteria?
 - a) Cocci
 - b) Bacilli
 - c) Spirilla
 - d) Mycelia
- 10. Bacteria that obtain energy by oxidation of inorganic substances are
 - a) Photosynthetic bacteria
 - b) Chemosynthetic bacteria
 - c) Parasitic bacteria
 - d) Saprophytic bacteria

- 11. Archaebacteria differ from eubacteria in
 - a) Cell wall composition
 - b) Ribosomes
 - c) DNA structure
 - d) Flagella
- 12. Thermoacidophiles live in
 - a) Hot acidic environments
 - b) Cold and saline water
 - c) Freshwater ponds
 - d) Inside animals
- 13. Methanogens are used in
 - a) Wine making
 - b) Biogas production
 - c) Dairy fermentation
 - d) Antibiotic production
- 14. Cyanobacteria possess
 - a) Chlorophyll a
 - b) Chlorophyll b
 - c) Both a and b
 - d) None of these

c) Pectind) Chitin

15. Nostoc and Anabaena can fix nitrogen in —	
a) Vegetative cells	
b) Heterocysts	
c) Root nodules	
d) Mycelia	
16. The gelatinous sheath is characteristic of —	
a) Mycoplasma	
b) Cyanobacteria	
c) Dinoflagellates	
d) Fungi	
17. The amplicat living organisms canable of independent growth are	
17. The smallest living organisms capable of independent growth are —	
a) Mycoplasma	
b) Viruses c) Viroids	
d) Bacteria	
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18. The five-kingdom classification was given in the year —	
a) 1869	
b) 1969	
c) 1971	
d) 1959	
19. Which kingdom serves as a link between plants and animals?	
a) Monera	
b) Protista	
c) Fungi	
d) Animalia	
20. The "soap box" type of shell fitting is found in —	
a) Euglena	
b) Diatoms	
c) Dinoflagellates	
d) Chrysophytes	
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21. The cell walls of diatoms are embedded with —	
a) Silica	
b) Cellulose	

23. Euglenoids behave as heterotrophs when —

a) Diatoms

b) Cyanobacteriac) Red dinoflagellates

d) Euglenoids

22. The "red tide" phenomenon occurs due to rapid multiplication of —

a) Sunlight is available
b) Sunlight is absent
c) Food is abundant
d) They are in freshwater
24. The slimy mass of multinucleate cytoplasm in slime moulds is called -
a) Mycelium
b) Plasmodium
c) Thallus
d) Zoospore
25. Which protozoan has cilia for locomotion?
a) Amoeba
b) Paramecium
c) Trypanosoma
d) Plasmodium
26. Protozoans that cause malaria are —
a) Amoeboids
b) Ciliates
c) Sporozoans
d) Flagellates
27. Entamoeba is an example of —
a) Parasitic amoeboid protozoan
b) Free-living amoeboid protozoan
c) Ciliate
d) Flagellate
d) Flageliate
28. Cilia in Paramecium help in —
a) Movement only
b) Feeding only
c) Both movement and feeding
d) Reproduction
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29. Fungi that are saprophytic derive nutrition from —
a) Living organisms
b) Dead organic matter
c) Photosynthesis
d) Minerals

- 30. The cross-walls in septate hyphae are called
 - a) Mycelia
 - b) Septa
 - c) Walls
 - d) Threads

- 31. Coenocytic hyphae are found in
 - a) Mucor
 - b) Penicillium
 - c) Neurospora
 - d) Agaricus
- 32. The fruiting body of Ascomycetes is called
 - a) Basidiocarp
 - b) Ascocarp
 - c) Sporangiophore
 - d) Conidiophore
- 33. Asexual spores of Ascomycetes are called
 - a) Conidia
 - b) Zoospores
 - c) Sporangiospores
 - d) Oospores
- 34. Basidiospores are produced in
 - a) Ascus
 - b) Basidium
 - c) Sporangium
 - d) Conidium
- 35. The fungi which have only vegetative and asexual phases known are
 - a) Basidiomycetes
 - b) Ascomycetes
 - c) Deuteromycetes
 - d) Phycomycetes
- 36. The perfect (sexual) stage of fungi helps in
 - a) Food absorption
 - b) Classification
 - c) Photosynthesis
 - d) Spore dispersal

- 37. Trichoderma belongs to
 - a) Deuteromycetes
 - b) Basidiomycetes
 - c) Ascomycetes
 - d) Phycomycetes
- 38. Albugo causes disease in
 - a) Mustard
 - b) Wheat
 - c) Rice
 - d) Maize
- 39. Puccinia infects
 - a) Mustard
 - b) Wheat
 - c) Potato
 - d) Tomato
- 40. In fungi, sexual reproduction includes all except
 - a) Plasmogamy
 - b) Karyogamy
 - c) Meiosis
 - d) Budding

- 41. Which of the following is not included in Whittaker's five kingdoms?
 - a) Monera
 - b) Protista
 - c) Virus
 - d) Fungi
- 42. Viruses have
 - a) Both DNA and RNA
 - b) Either DNA or RNA
 - c) Only proteins
 - d) Only RNA
- 43. Which disease is caused by a virus?
 - a) Tetanus
 - b) Smallpox
 - c) Ringworm
 - d) Cholera

- 44. The term "Contagium vivum fluidum" was coined by a) Ivanowsky b) Stanley c) Beijerinck d) Pasteur 45. The shape of a bacteriophage resembles a) Rod b) Tadpole c) Spherical d) Filamentous 46. Prions are composed of a) Proteins only b) RNA only c) DNA only d) Protein and RNA 47. Bovine spongiform encephalopathy is commonly called a) Sleeping sickness
 - b) Mad cow disease
 - c) Cowpox
 - d) Foot and mouth disease
- 48. In lichens, the algal component is
 - a) Autotrophic
 - b) Heterotrophic
 - c) Saprophytic
 - d) Parasitic
- 49. Lichens are used as
 - a) Air pollution indicators
 - b) Water purifiers
 - c) Insect repellents
 - d) Pesticides
- 50. The fungal partner in a lichen is called
 - a) Phycobiont
 - b) Mycobiont
 - c) Zoobiont
 - d) Sporobiont

Answers: Set 4

Q	Ans								
1	С	2	b	3	а	4	b	5	d
6	b	7	а	8	b	9	d	10	b
11	а	12	а	13	b	14	а	15	b
16	b	17	а	18	b	19	b	20	b
21	а	22	С	23	b	24	b	25	b
26	С	27	а	28	С	29	b	30	b
31	а	32	b	33	а	34	b	35	С
36	b	37	а	38	а	39	b	40	d
41	С	42	b	43	b	44	С	45	b
46	а	47	b	48	а	49	а	50	b